MODIFIED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1996

REGISTERED NO: 2297714



STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

Company Law requires the Directors to prepare Financial Statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the Profit of the Company for the year. In preparing those Financial Statements, the Directors are required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 3. Prepare the Financial Statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The Directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and to enable them to ensure that the Financial Statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

OF

CHELTENHAM LAMINATING COMPANY LIMITED

We have audited the Financial Statements on pages 3 to 5 which have been prepared under the Historical Cost Convention and the accounting policies set out on page 4.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

As described on page 1, the Company's Directors are responsible for the preparation of Financial Statements. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion, based on our audit, on those statements and to report our opinion to you.

MODIFIED ACCOUNTS

In our opinion, the Directors are entitled to deliver Modified Accounts as a Small Company in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 1985.

BASIS OF OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the Financial Statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the Directors in the preparation of the Financial Statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the Financial Statements are free from material mis-statement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion, we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the Financial Statements.

OPINION

In our opinion, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31st March 1996, and of its Profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

H.R. HARRIS AND PARTNERS CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS REGISTERED AUDITORS

145/146 ST. HELEN'S ROAD,

SWANSEA, SA1 4DE

20th January 1997

MODIFIED BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31ST MARCH 1996

Note	£	1996	£ 1995	£
	=	$772\overline{8}95$ 146380 919275	=	796703 166122 962825
2	73091 616167 51		79660 402913 <u>17</u>	
	003303		402330	
due 3	(364044)		(334767)	
		325265		147823
		1244540		1110648
4 year		(437521)		(411432)
5		(10593)		(12290)
		796426		686926
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In preparing these Modified Accounts, we have relied upon the exemption for individual accounts provided by Section 247 - 249 of the Companies Act 1985, and Schedule 6 Companies Act 1989. We have done so on the grounds that the Company is entitled to these exemptions as a Small Company.

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APPROVED BY THE BOARD: 20th January 1997

The Notes on pages 4 and 5 form part of these Accounts

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1996

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Financial Statements were prepared under the Historical Cost Convention except that Leasehold Property and Improvements are included at their revalued amounts, and on a going concern basis.

2.	DEBTORS (Amounts Falling due within one year)	1996 <u>£</u>	1995 <u>£</u>
	Trade Debtors Other Debtors Prepayments and Accrued Income	285550 3334 20910	217676 1560 19890
	Amounts Falling Due Outside One Year	309794	239126
	Amount due from Related Company	306373 616167	163787 402913
3.	CREDITORS (Amounts Falling Due within one year)	·	
	Bank Overdraft Trade Creditors Social Security and Other Taxes Accruals and Deferred Income Directors' Loan Account Bank Loan Hire Purchase Agreements	48681 134590 90630 46739 20033 13524 <u>9847</u> 364044	21883 132044 85170 49494 20033 11548 14595 334767
4.	CREDITORS (Amounts falling due after more than one year)	=====	52
	Bank Loan Amount due to Holding Company Hire Purchase Agreements	117011 316141 <u>4369</u> 437521	130311 267346 13775 411432
5.	PROVISION FOR LIABILITIES AND CHARGES	=====	=====
	Deferred Taxation	10593	12290 ====

NOTES TO THE MODIFIED ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 1996

6.	SHARE CAPITAL	<u>199:6</u> £	<u>199.5</u>
	Allotted, Called and Fully Paid:		
	430000 Ordinary Shares of £l each	430000 =====	430000
	Authorised:		
	450000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	450000	450000

7. ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Cheltenham Holdings Limited, which is registered in England and Wales.